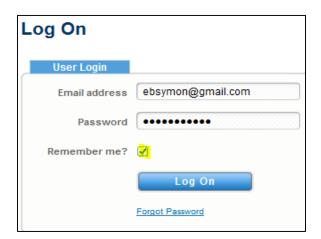
Customer Access Portal Permit Submittal User Guide-Single Family New Construction

1. Go to the CAP page and click on "Log On."



2. Enter in your email address you used to register and your password, and then click "Log On." If you would like your email and password to be saved for future log in sessions, check the box next to "Remember me?" If you forgot your password, click on the "Forgot Password" link



3. To apply for a permit, towards the upper center of the screen click on the "Permits" tab and then click on "Apply." A new "Apply for a Permit" page will appear. Under the "Permit Fields" box use the drop-down menu for "Type" and select "Single Family/Duplex Dwelling."



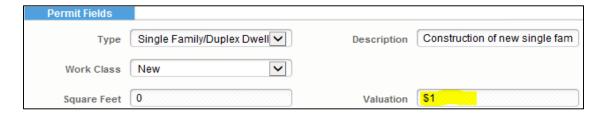
4. Use the drop-down menu for "Work Class" and select "New."



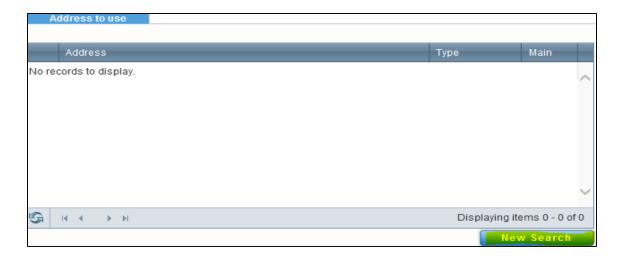
5. In the "Description" field, type in "Construction of new single family dwelling."



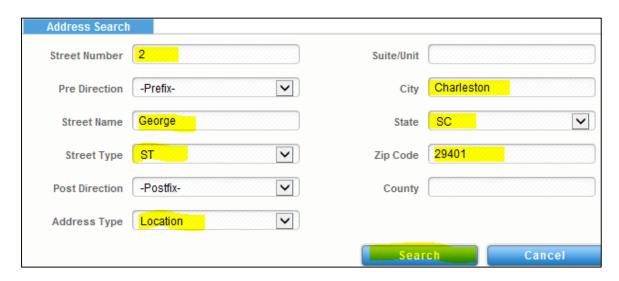
6. In the "Valuation" field, type in "\$1." We valuate homes based on heated vs. unheated square footage. Unfortunately, the new online submittal process does not allow you to enter this way, so the City of Charleston will continue to enter the information based on numbers listed on the permit application.



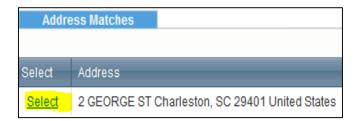
- 7. You may ignore the "Additional Info" box.
- 8. Under the "Address to Use" box, click on the "New Search" button.



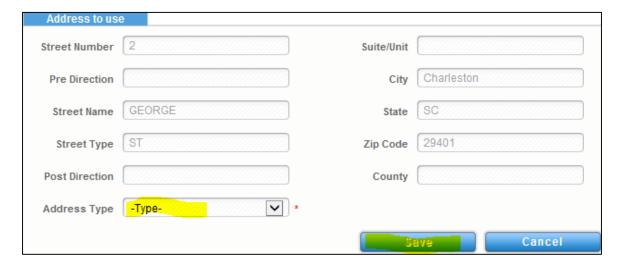
9. Enter in the address information: street number, street name, street type, address type, city, state, and zip code. Click on "Search."



10. An "Address Matches" box will generate. Click "Select" next to the correct address



11. The "Address to Use" box will appear again with your selected address populated. A red asterisk appears next to the "Address Type" field. Use the drop-down menu to select whether the address is the mailing address or location address. Click "Save."



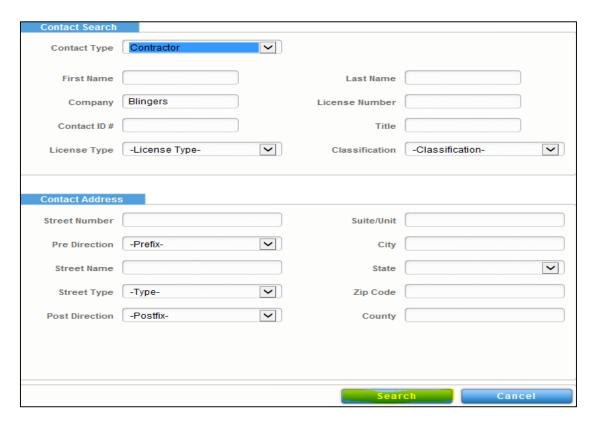
12. Under the "Contact Search" box, click on the "Add Contact" button. The system automatically adds you, as the submitter, as a contact.



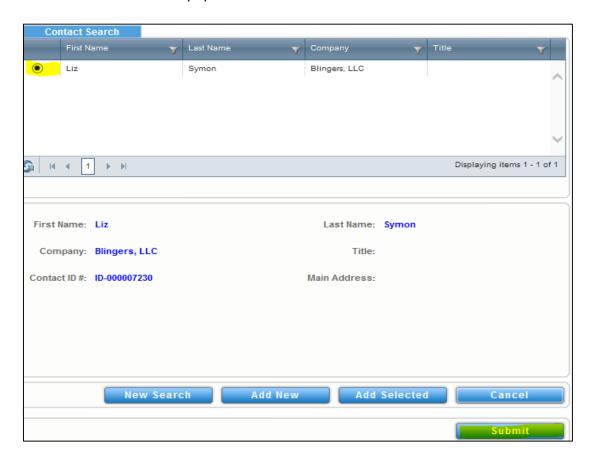
13. Use the "Contact Type" drop-down menu and select "Contractor."



14. Enter in any useful information within the "Contact Search" and Contact Address" boxes and click "Search" for retrieval purposes (first and last name/company name).



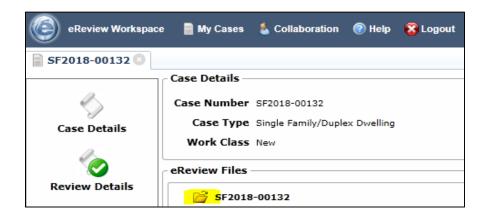
15. Under the "Contact Search" box, check the box next to the contact. Information about the contact will populate below. Click "Submit."



16. A new page will generate with your permit number, permit details, primary address details, contact details, permit fees, EReview projects, and attachment details. Scroll to the bottom of the page until you see "EReview Projects." This is where you will upload documents for your project. Click on the blue hyper-linked "Open" under the "EReview" tab.



17. A new "eReview Workspace" window/tab generates displaying case details for your project. Under "eReview Files" click on the yellow folder next to your project number.



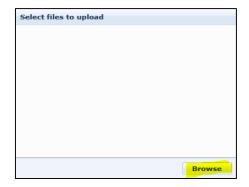
18. A pop-up window will generate towards the bottom right of your screen that allows you to select files to upload.

Please be sure to include all required documents when submitting online. If you do not upload all required documents, your project will not be reviewed until all required documents are submitted.

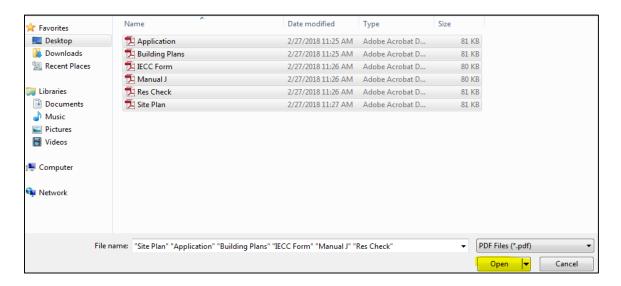
Uploaded documents should include and be named (PDF Format):

- Application
- IECC Form
- Manual J
- Res Check (optional, but appreciated)
- Site Plan or Plot Plan
- Building Plans (please combine architectural and engineering drawings into one PDF)
- Windborne Debris Detail (can also be included in building plans)

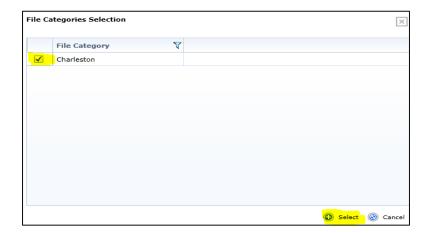
Please make sure all pages are the same size, scale, and are oriented in the "landscape" format. New approved plans through eReview receive a digital stamp on every sheet of the building plans. If the pages differ in size, scale, and/or orientation, the stamp, when applied to all pages, ends up misaligned and requires the reviewer to then manually adjust the stamp for each page, making the process very tedious.



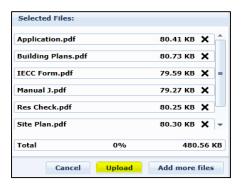
19. Select your files for upload and click "Open."



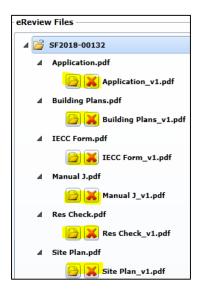
20. A "File Categories Selection" window appears. Check the box next to the "Charleston" file category, and click on "Select."



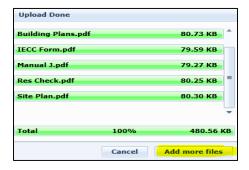
21. In the "Selected Files" window, you will see all off your selected documents. You can cancel, add more files, or upload at this point. When ready to upload, click the "Upload" button.



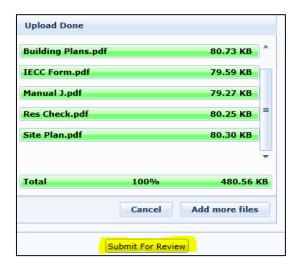
22. Your documents will populate under "eReview Files." At this point, you can delete files by clicking on the red "X" next to each document or you can view each document by clicking on the yellow folder next to each document.



23. If you wish to add more files, click on the "Add more files" button in the upload window.



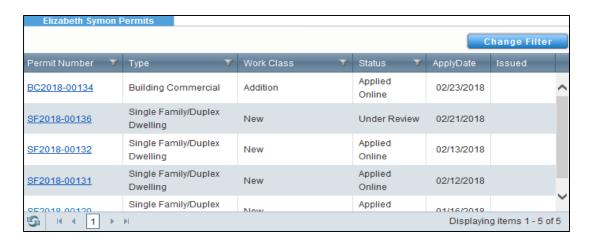
24. If you are ready to submit your project, towards the bottom right of the screen click "Submit for Review" under the upload window.



25. An "EnerGov" pop-up window generates alerting you to the inability to upload files if submitting. If you still need to upload more files, click the "Cancel" button. However, if you're ready to submit, click the "Ok" button. Your project will then be in our system for review.



26. If you click on the "Permit View" tab/window and click on the "Home" tab towards the upper left of the screen, you will see any permits you submitted in your permit box. Clicking on the permit number will open up your permit details.



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